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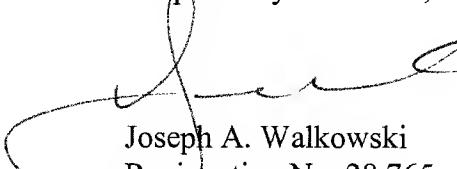
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It is certified that an error appears or errors appear in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

In the drawings:

In FIG. 1, change reference numeral "28" to --18--

In the specification:

COLUMN 1,	LINE 35,	change "small enclosed" to --small, enclosed--
COLUMN 2,	LINE 22,	change "another out-of-the-way" to --another, out-of-the-way--
		change "is -well known" to --is well known--
COLUMN 2,	LINE 29,	change "-multiple speaker" to -- multiple speaker --
COLUMN 2,	LINE 40,	change "the-end user," to --the end user,--
COLUMN 2,	LINE 48,	change "apparatus, woofer or subwoofer," to --apparatus (woofer or subwoofer,--
COLUMN 3,	LINE 67,	change "unit CPU 30" to --unit (CPU) 30--
		change "single-or multi-chip" to --single- or multi-chip--
COLUMN 4,	LINE 12,	
COLUMN 4,	LINE 14,	

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In the specification (continued):

COLUMN 4, LINE 38,	change "box, woofer" to --box, subwoofer--
COLUMN 4, LINE 65,	change "width, would" to --width would--
COLUMN 5, LINE 40,	change "again size" to --again sized--
COLUMN 5, LINE 54,	change "allows then" to --allows them--

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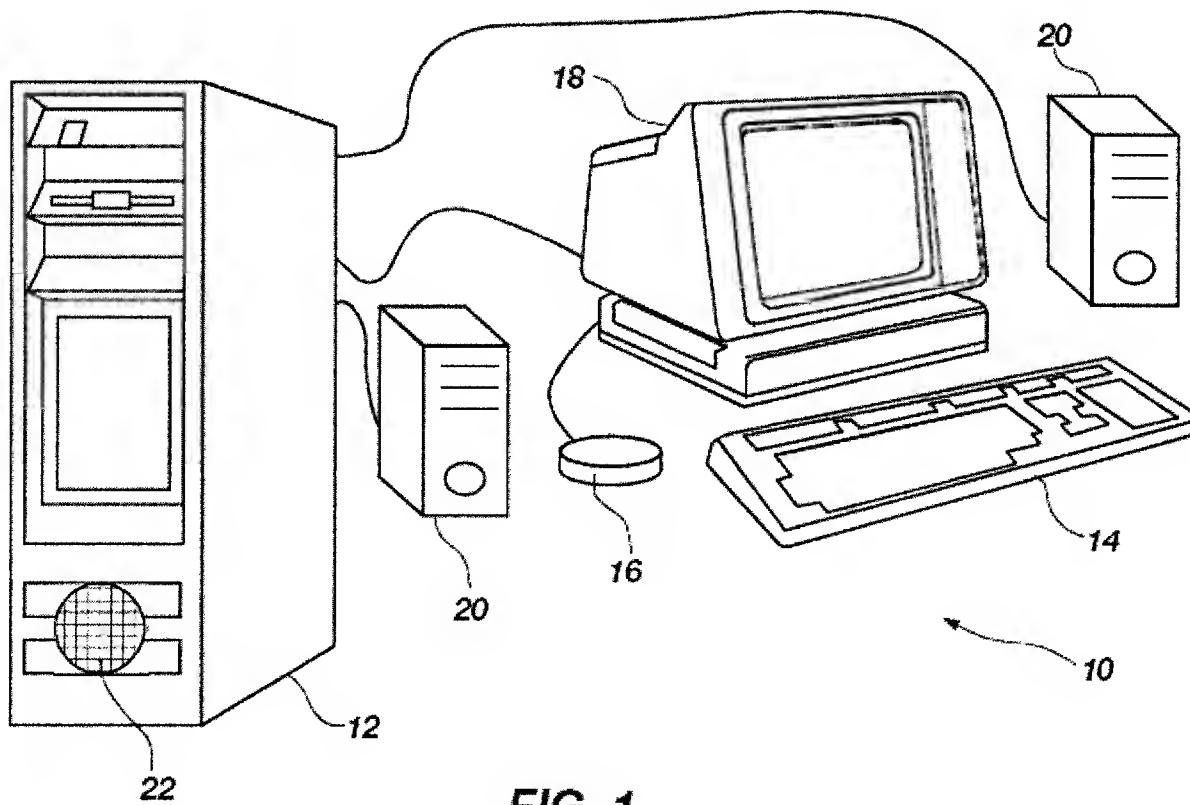


FIG. 1

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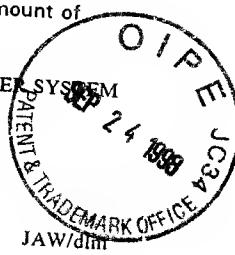
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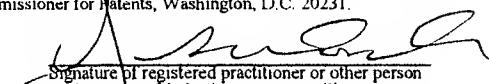
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Please revise the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

- On page 2, line 14, after "plurality of" change "speakers" to --speaker--;
- On page 2, line 26, insert a comma after "small";
- On page 4, line 4, insert a comma after "another";
- On page 4, line 7, change "since" to --because--;
- On page 4, line 13, after "in" change "a" to --an--;
- On page 4, line 16, change "speakers" to --speaker--;
- On page 4, line 17, insert a hyphen between "much" and "larger";

On page 6, line 17, insert a comma after "device";
On page 6, line 19, change "CPU box" to --computer system--;
On page 6, line 20, change "unit" to --box--;
On page 6, line 21, change "10" to --12--;
On page 6, line 25, change "cross-section" to --cross-sectional--;
On page 6, line 26, after "apparatus" insert --(woofer or subwoofer, hereinafter sometimes referenced for convenience merely as "subwoofer");
On page 7, line 2, after "26" change "are" to --is--;
On page 7, line 3, after "or" change "a" to --an--;
On page 7, line 4, after "unit" insert --(CPU)--;
On page 7, line 6, insert a comma after "conventional" and change "purposing" to --purpose--;
On page 7, line 9, change "microprocessor" to --CPU-- and insert a comma after "conventional";
On page 7, line 11, change "processor" to --CPU--;
On page 7, line 11, delete "an"
On page 7, line 12, after "add-on" insert --computer--;
On page 7, line 21, change "woofer" to --subwoofer-- and delete "apparatus";
On page 7, line 22, change "woofer" to --subwoofer--;
On page 7, line 23, change "woofer" to --subwoofer--;
On page 8, line 13, delete the comma after "width";
On page 8, line 27, after "fasteners 24" change "are" to --is--;
On page 9, line 14, change "designed" (second occurrence) to --sized--;
On page 9, line 15, after "that" insert --of--;
On page 9, line 23, change "this" to --the--;
On page 9, line 25, change "it" at the beginning of the line to "them";
On page 9, line 26, delete "retaining";
On page 9, line 27, change "elements" to --fasteners--;
On page 10, line 1, after "art," insert --a-- and after "variations" insert --and--;

On page 10, line 15, after "speaker" delete "element";
On page 10, line 16, delete "apparatus";
On page 10, line 17, insert a hyphen between "cut" and "off";
On page 10, line 21, after "by" delete "a" and after "of" insert --a--;
On page 21, line 11, change "disks" to--disk--; and
On page 21, line 15, after "apparatus," insert --and--.

IN THE CLAIMS:

In claim 7, line 2, change "the" (both occurrences) to --a--.

8. (amended) The speaker apparatus according to Claim 1 wherein said speaker is mounted behind [a port formed within] said port coupled to said container.

In claim 9, line 6, after "box" change the semicolon to a comma;
In claim 10, line 5, change "mate" to --mating--; and
In claim 14, line 2, change "the" (both occurrences) to --a--.

15. (amended) The computer system according to Claim 9 wherein said speaker is mounted behind [a port formed within] said port coupled to said container.

In claim 17, line 4, after "bottom" insert --interior--;
In claim 23, line 2, change "the" (both occurrences) to --a--;
In claim 24, line 3, after "having" delete "a";
In claim 24, line 6, after "front" insert --interior--;
In claim 30, line 2, change "the" (both occurrences) to --a--;
In claim 31, line 6, change the semicolon after "box" to a comma; and
In claim 36, line 2, change "the" (both occurrences) to --a--.

37. (amended) The computer system according to Claim 31 wherein said speaker is mounted behind [a port formed within] said port coupled to said container.

In claim 39, line 6, change the semicolon after "box" to a comma; and

In claim 44, line 2, change "the" (both occurrences) to --a--.

45. (amended) The computer system according to Claim 39 wherein said speaker is mounted behind [a port formed within] said port coupled to said container.

In claim 48, line 5, after "of" (1st occurrence) change "a" to --said--;

In claim 48, line 6, change "for" to --to--;

In claim 49, line 2, after "step" insert --further--;

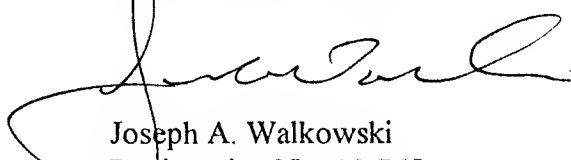
In claim 50, line 2, after "step" insert --further--; and

In claim 53, line 2, after "step" insert --further--.

REMARKS

No new matter has been added. The Applicant requests entry of the foregoing amendment prior to examination of the application on the merits.

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